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Elizabeth Adams, Director
Air Division
US EPA Region IX
75 Hawthorne Street
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Subject: Proposed Title V Permit for El Paso Natural Gas Company, LLC – Dilkon Compressor Station

Dear Ms. Adams:

Enclosed is a copy of the Proposed Permit, Statement of Basis and supporting documents for El Paso Natural Gas Company, LLC – Dilkon Compressor Station, located E ½ of Section 17 and W ½ of Section 16, Township 23N, Range 19E, 1.25 miles North of Dilkon, Arizona on the Navajo Nation. The Navajo Nation EPA (“NNEPA”) intends to issue this permit in accordance with the provisions of Title V of the Clean Air Act, 40 CFR Part 71, the Navajo Nation Operating Permit Regulations (“NNOPR”), the 2004 Delegation Agreement between EPA Region IX and NNEPA, and all other applicable rules and regulations. The Permittee, El Paso Natural Gas Company, LLC – Dilkon Compressor Station, is authorized to operate air emission units and to conduct other air pollutant-emitting activities in accordance with the permit conditions listed in this permit.

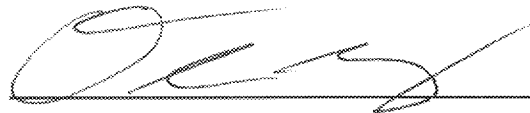
Navajo Nation Environmental Protection Agency (“NNEPA”) had public noticed the draft permit in the Gallup Independent, Gallup, NM on February 11, 2019, Navajo-Hopi Observer, Arizona on February 13, 2019, Navajo Times, Window Rock, Arizona on February 14, 2019, Holbrook Tribune, Holbrook, AZ on February 20 and 27, 2019 and AZ Daily Sun, Flagstaff, AZ on March 1 and 12, 2019. NNEPA also sent out Affected State, Local and Tribe letters to the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, New Mexico Environment Department, Utah Department of Environmental Quality, the Hopi Tribe, the Southern Ute Indian Tribe and the Ute Mountain Tribe.

The public comment period ended on March 15, 2019. NNEPA conducted a public outreach and informational session on the draft permit and the submission of public comments at the Dilkon Chapter House on March 6, 2019 where questions raised were also answered. NNEPA received no comments on the draft permit.

The proposed permit and the supporting documents are also available on the NNEPA Operating Permit Program website at:

http://navajonationepa.org/main/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=81&catid=15

If you have any questions or comments regarding this action, please contact Tennille Denetdeel at 928-729-4248 or tbbegay@navajo-nsn.gov.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'O. B. Whaley', is written over a horizontal line.

Oliver B. Whaley, Executive Director
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cc: Lisa Beckham, US EPA Region IX